ACTIVITIES OF OUR LAWMAKERS AT WASHINGTON

Some Democrats to Fight Appointment of Henry P. Fletcher as Ambassador to Mexico -Preparedness Sentiment in Senate Said to Be Backsliding -Democrats in Upper House Also Propose Other Adminis-

Washington, Dec. 28.-Some of the professional politicians on the democratic side of the Senate are preparing to fight the confirmation of Henry Prather Fletcher as ambassador to Mexico. Mr. Fletcher is the present American ambassador to Chill, where he has done excellent service for the administration.

tration Principles.

Secretary Lansing books upon Mr. Fletcher as one of the best men in the diplomatic service. His long experience in Latin-American affairs has made him an ideal representative of the government, according to the officials of the state department.

President Wilson's choice of Mr. Fletcher as a man of tact and diplomatic knowledge was largely the result of the experience which he has had with some of the men who went to Mexico to represent this government during the revolutionary pe-

The administration is anxious to wipe out the impression made upon the Mexiday a telegram was sent to a Chicago an people by William Bayard Hale, John Lind, George C. Carrothers and some of the special agents upon whom the Prestdent has relied for information.

The President has confided to friends he traced to misinformation brought to Washington by men who were sent to the turbulent country to get a first hand view of conditions and prospects.

Senator Kern, the majority leader on that Mr. Bryan once promised to give the subsequent overwhelming defeat the post to one of Kern's political helpers.

PREPAREDNESS BACKSLIDES.

seems to be backsliding. This probably and came home still in a somewhat weakholds in some degree on the republican ened condition. side of the chamber. One cannot measure it just yet in concrete terms, but here and ever played on Yale teams than Thomas there are utterances which indicate the Lee Shevlin. He was an all round star in Massachusetts is known to favor a from prowess on the gridiron. For four moderate program alike for the army and the navy. Because of his service as ing picked for all-American end. an officer of the navy, senators of both political parties rely much upon his judgment in deciding what they should do in army and navy matters.

The Massachusetts senator delivered speech in the last Congress, setting his opinions that at that time, while the European war was just getting under way, the United States could before committing definitely to large navy increases believes now in increasing the navy, but warding agen in Sweden, were removed tions against possibilities of foreign in- steamship Oscar II. The estimated vasion. With plenty of submarines and a weight of the rubber seized is about 4,000 moderate size navy the Massachusetts pounds. senator thinks it would be impossible for a foreign nation to land 250,000 soldiers on our shores from Europe as a base.

AGAINST CONTINENTAL ARMY. Neither does Senator Weeks favor the continental army that President Wilson has urged. He would increase the regular army to something like 150,000 men and develop the reserve army which is just now acquiring some strength because 1912, or thereabouts, at thorizing enlisted men after a definite period of service to be discharged as reserves is just coming into opera-

There is not a little condemnation at the Capitol of the general board for its very large recommendations as set forth In its first report just made public by in Congress of a large navy say the recommendations were extravagant, and that jubilicity for such a report can do the cause no good at this time. "The general board." said one senator "would speedily have the government investing most of its revenues, as the vield of taxes runs now. In preparedness on the sea."

Of course Secretary Daniels released the first report of the general board only because the ultrapreparedness advocate were demanding it. Representative Gardner of Massachusetts called for the text during the early days of the session and his request was echoed from several

OTHER SENATORS REBELLIOUS. Holiday talk at the Capitol cannot always be relied upon, but there seems to be considerable democratic rebellion in prospect in the Senate on divers administration matters. At least two or three of the group of democratic senators who left the reservation in the last Congress, are at their dances again. This does not neces-Georgia, who is conducting a vigorous agitation against President Wilson's foreign policy. He is animated by the difficulties of the South in getting the market to wants in Europe for its cotton. Senator Smith has made a specialty of this for more than a year and continues to fight hard. But there is no warrant for assuming that he will not support the adminis tration when it comes to a show down.

Secator Hitchcock of Nebraska, however, is not reconciled because his arch on several administration topics, having the federal reserve bank bill, it will be remembered, and also the adminis tration shipping bill. Senator O'Gorman of New York co-operated in the opposition to both measures. He and Senato Hitchcook are now talking at the Capitol against the President's conduct of foreign relations, and, probably will work much with the republicans in that regard.

SUBSTITUTE FOR

Sermany Has Been Using It Bight Months in Ammunition.

that for eight months no cotton has been used for this purpose. This statement was made by the president of the Bremen chamber of commerce in an address to a convention of mer chants of this city. After referring to the designation of cotton as contra-band by Great Britain he said:

"I have had the opportunity to es tablish officially that for eight months not a kilogram of cotton has been used for making powder. Thanks to the work of German science and industry, we have succeeded in winning from the immeasurable suply of German forests a cellular material which is cheaper and better suited for powder making than cotton. Even after the war German ammunition factores will not buy another bale of cotton from America.

"The second important ingredient-salt petre-of the entire Chilean output, of which we formerly took two-thirds, is now manufactured exclusively in Germany from the air. Our factories al-ready are so advanced that in the coming spring they will be able to cover the entire requirements for nitrogen, including the amount used in agriculture, and if the war lasts longer they even be able to export this product." The speaker also asserted that camphor. which for seven years has been produced better quality by chemical means from war, he said, there will be no more importation of camphor from Japan or turpentine from America.

"OLD TOM" SHEVLIN DIES OF PNEUMONIA

Passing of Vale's Famous Star and Coach.

Minneapolls, Minn., Dec. 29.-Thomas berman and Yale football coach, died at Mr. Shevlin contracted a cold while training the Yale football squad last fail.

Mr. Shevlin's illness assumed serious agrees. proportions last Thursday and since then he had been gradually declining. Yesterspecialist to hurry to the sick man's bed-

side by special train. After leaving Yale at the close of th football season Mr. Shevlin went to Callfornia to rest. Last Wednesday he rethat some of the Mexican trouble might turned to his home and the following day was taken ill with pneumonia. Four physicians were summoned to attend him Athens but the patient gradually sank until death | Journal,

Sheviin played football at Yale four the democratic side, is greatly perturbed years, being captain during his last year | deputy, has announced that he will ask et the prospect of not getting a politician in 1906 when Yale had one of the greatest | the minister of marine in the chamber from Indiana into the post, which carries teams in history. Since the days when of deputies if, in view of the sinking \$17,500 a year besides being a valuable he wore "Y" at Yale, Shevlin had always of political plum. For some reason unknown stood ready to come to the aid of his alma Cictot, the minister does not think it to the administration. Kern apparently mater as football adviser and coach. Last necessary to convoy liners in the Medihas been under the impression that he fall he struggled hard to whip the aggre- terranean in order to prevent repetihad a lien on the job. It is understood gation into shape to meet Harvard and

preyed upon his mind. During training he lost 12 pounds. The rest did him good but because of business Preparedness sentiment in the Senate matters at home he cut short his vacation

Probably no more sensational athlete For example, Senator Weeks of athletics. However his greatest fame came years he was accorded the honor of be-

LATEST JOKE ON FORD PEACE SHIP

Oscar II Carried 4,000 Pounds of Con traband Rubber for Germany. London, Dec. 28 .- A British official state-

ent issued to-night says: "It is ascertained that 55 bags of rubber. He all consigned to a well known enemy for favor unduly large appropria- from the parcel post mail on board the

> sisted of 734 bags, was handed over to the postoffice for immediate transmission to

> The Oscar II is the vessel which carried

the Ford peace party to Enrope.

AN INTERNATIONAL PARK AT NIAGARA

Committee of World-Wide Membership Will Consider Plan.

Washington, Dec. 29.-A resolution au thorizing appointment of a world Ni- the part of the people. agara committee to consider an international park at Niagara Falls through co-operation between the United States and Canada was adopted to-day by the American Civic association in convention here. Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of the President, presided at to-day's ses-

All officers of the association were re Despite conditions brought elected. about by the war, officers' reports said the society had grown during the year strength.

CAN'T GET BODIES.

Pleas of Relatives of American Lusitania Victims Are Refused.

Queenstown, Dec. 28.-Bodies of a number of American victims of the Lusitania disaster must lie on foreign soil until they crumble into dust, the urban district council of Queenstown decreed to-day. They were dragged from the water, days, even weeks, after the big liner was tor pedoed off the Irish coast. Identification at first was impossible and they were bursarily apply to Senator Hoke Smith of led in cheap coffins of flimsy material in one of the dreariest cemeteries in all Ireland about a mile from town. Later their normal lighting.

Wesley Grost, who for months has been to Alexandrovsk (Russia) under the most aiding the relatives, that exhumation favorable conditions," says the Copenwould imperil public health. Religious political enemy. Mr. Bryan, has left the scruples are said to constitute the real Telegraph company. "Since this route reason for the refusal.

New Naval Academy.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 29.-Secretary creased building program for the navy

COTTON OBTAINED Congress an increase of the undergraduate body at Annapolis to its full capacity, 1,200 midshipmen, and that number will take care of the first body of Rissing has sequestered the assets of all Biremen, Germany, Dec. 29, via Londen.—Germany's experiments with
substitutes for cotton in the manufactore of gunpowder have been so sucture of gunpowder have been so sucjunior officers for the fleet increase Belgian stock companies.

FORD PARTY HAS INSIDE KNOWLEDGE OF PEACE PLANS

Stockholm, via London, Dec. 29.-1t has peen definitely decided by the members of the Ford expedition that as soon as possible tentative peace plans will be drawn up and submitted to the warring nations, men versed in international law will be employed for guidance on technical

points. Should this first effort be rejected, or gnored by the nations, the plan will be modified and repeatedly offered until per-

sistence atracts attention. In announcing the plan Louis Lochner, secretary of the expedition, said:

Three reasons actuate the member in appealing directly to the belligerents. These are: First, confidential informasynthetically from American turpentine, of the belligerents are ready for peace, s now obtained more cheaply and in although officially unwilling to admit it. nor can I state at this time which of the synthetic turpentine. Even after the nations I have reference to; second, certain neutral nations are most anxious for joint action; third, such joint action would be welcomed by belligerents of both sides.

"We confess that the members of the expedition are not competent to draw up a peace propaganda because of inexperience We represent merely the peace-loving civilians of the world Therefore it has been decided to employ, regardless of expense, the most Shevlin of Minneapolis, millionaire lum- capable experts in international law to draw up tentative peace proposals his home here this morning of pneumonia. on lines most likely to be agreeable to all concerned. Mr. Ford is thoroughly informed on this purpose, and

muldzina. Bulgaria, has mutinied, ac-

Paris, Dec. 29.-Ernest Outrey, the French steamer Ville de la tions of such a catastrophe.

Paris, Dec. 29.-"Italian troops which disembarked at Aviona, Albania, have reached the vicinity of the northern frontier of Epirus in some places, according to reports from voyagers arriving from Santi Quaranta," says the Athens correspondent of the Havas Agency. "Italian troops also have been seen near Tepeleni (Southern Albania)."

Berlin, Dec. 29, thy wireless to Sayville).-The Overseas News Agency anounces that several hospital trains have been donated by residents of Holland to the central powers. "The trains are splen didly equipped." the news agency says. Each is manned by six physicians and

Stockholm, via London, Dec. 29,--Mme. Rosika Schwimmer and other members of the Ford peace mission left here Tuesthe expedition there. A relegram received as 70 cents a quart. tion that the project is taken more ser-

Paris, Dec. 29.-A Havas agency despatch from Athens quotes Bulgarian newspapers as announcing the arrival at Sofia of British prisoners of war who, it is said, were marched through the streets amid hostile demonstrations on

Munich, Bavaria, via London, Dec. 29. -Residents of the Bavarian capital will be permitted to enjoy their beer without

both in membership and financial information there are 75,000 Serbian "They are in excellent trim notwithstanding the difficulties encountered in their retreat. They held strongly fortified positions against Bulgarians and it is unlikely that they will be transferred to Saloniki."

Parls, Dec. 29.-Gen. Michael Joseph Maunoury, military governor of Paris, in tement given to the Matin, expresstie opinion that the capital might be
brilliantly lighted without adding
the risk of air raids. The general
that he was inquiring into the
lion and if the results bore out his a statement given to the Matin, express ed the opinion that the capital might be more brilliantly lighted without adding to the risk of air raids. The general question and if the results bore out his belief a return would be made to almost

identity was established through postidentity was estab to Alexandrovsk (Russia) under the most favorable conditions." says the Copenhagen correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company. "Since this route Sirioin steak, pound will be open throughout the entire year it is expected that it will be of inesyear it is expected that it will be of ines-Vear it is expected that it will be of inessential time be benefit to Russia whose trade diffi-culties became acute owing to the freez-Veai steak, pound culties became acute owing to the freezing over of Archangel bay and the inter-Daniels said to-day that when the in- rupted transit of supplies through Swe-

BRIGHTON MARKET.

Trading in beef stock was dull and depressed at Tuesday morning's Brighton Dressed beef sells slowly in the Boston market as usual during the holidays, and this is reflected in livetock. Other offerings were unchanged in tone or price.

Arrivals for Tuesday at Brighton were light and included is cars from the Boston and Maine railroad and six cars from the Boston and Albany. During the week arrivals included one car from the Boston and Albany, six cars from the Boston and Maine, eight cars from New York State and 11 cars of hogs and it cars of cattle from the West. Receipts for Tuesday at Watertown were ten cars of livestock. This make the total arrivals for the week at both points 71 cars, against 91 cars for the preceding week.

Some heavy cattle of merit were offered at Brighton, but prices were easy, and even fancy cattle did not bring over 8 cents. The range for tops was to 8 cents, with good cattle at 6 to 7 cents and light cattle at 5 and 6 cents. Occasionally a fancy beef cow brought to 6% cents, but this was the extreme, the general range for the best offerings being 514 to 6 cents, with good cows at 5 to 519 cents, ordinary cows at 4 to 45 cents and canners at 3 to 31/2 cents.

Bulls were slow of sale, with offerings ample for the trade. Shippers found It difficult to get over 5 to 516 cents for their best offerings, though occa-sionally a choice beef bull was held at 6 cents. Bologna bulls were quoted at around 4 to 41/2 cents, with ordinary bulls at 4% to 5 cents.

Calves were in short supply, but with a quiet trade there was no improvement in values. Good lots sold at 8 to 9 cents, with fancy lots at 712 to 10 cents. Fair lots were quoted at 7 to 8 cents and grassers and drinkers at 41/2 to 6

though the West is still shipping fully. Some choice lots sold as high as 7 cents, but the bulk of the sales were made at 615 cents, with rough lots at bis to 6 cents, and boars at 3 to 315

Lambs were firm and best offerings brought \$ to \$1/2 cents, sheep being quoted at 3 to 5 cents. Milch cows were in moderate supply,

but prices were easier, ordinary cows cording to information reaching the being quoted at \$35 to \$40, with good correspondent of the Petit cows at \$50 to \$75, with fancy milkers at \$80 and up. Hollday week brought a falling off in

the western run of hogs, but western supplies are still larg, and will comforward later. Boston packers report the total kill for the week as 34,000 hogs against 36,000 for the preceding week and 31,000 for the same week last year. January 1, 1915, the total kill by Roston packers has been 1,660,200 against 979.500 for the same period in

creased a little, the total value reported for the week by Boston packers being \$60,000, against \$95,000 for the preceding week, and \$140,000 for the same week last year. Since January 1, 1915, total exports by Boston packers have been valued at \$5,456,000, compared with \$5.554,on for the same period in 1914. Dressed hogs are still quoted by pack-

ers at 8% to 9 cents, the same as last

BURLINGTON MARKETS.

Thirty to 35 cents per pound is the price being paid for holiday turkeys. one dentist. One of these trains will be Butter is quoted this week from 40 to 43 cents retail, the wholesale price being given as 28 to 36 cents. Hothouse cucumbers are 15 cents each, as against 10 last week. Alligator pears are \$1 day night for Copenhagen to make ad-quotations the only change noted this vance arrangements for the reception of week is for deep sea scallops, given Tangerines are from Copenhagen citizens by the party 30 to 40 cents per dozen this week. Sevsaid that Denmark was ready to give eral changes are given in retail grains the Ford party the warmest of wel- with increases in brown middlings Not The message stated that Den- much hay has been brought into town mark looks with favor upon every sincere lately. The prices secured have ranged effort to end the war. The members of from \$16 to \$20. The following prices are the party said that as they advance quoted for the Free Press by C. A. Bartoward The Hague there is every indica-Howard, meat dealer, the Carpenter Perley Fish company, the Burlington company and the A. D. Pease Feed company:

WHOLESALE PRICES. Hutter, pound
Fowls, pound
Eggs, dozen
Lard, pound
Hogs, pound
Lamb, pound
Native potatoes, bushel .35% .40 .12 RETAIL GROCERIES. .1007.15 \$7.00018.00 Oleomargarine, pound Olive oil, gallen Tomatoes, hothouse, pound pound Onions, pound Parsuips, pound .0461.05 RETAIL MEATS. Bacon, pound
Beef. roast. pound
Chickens, pound
Native broilers, pound
Ducks, pound
Geese, pound
Fowls, pound

RETAIL FISH AND SEA FOODS Fresh salmon, pound creased building program for the navy ultimately made necessary a second naval academy, the logical place for the new institution would be on the Pacific coast.

Senator Phelan and Representative Kent of California are preparing bills to that end.

Secretary Daniels has recommended to Congress an increase of the under Congress o RETAIL FRUITS. Pincapples, each Cranberries, quart Native apples, peck Oregon apples, dozen Pears, dozen Malaga raisins, package

F. D. ABERNETHY

Head of Church Street.

The Annual

Clerance Sale

Beginning on Monday,

January 3rd

will present opportunities for economical shopping that can only be regarded as exceptional.

If it were the Housekeeping Linens, Women's Apparel and Dress Silks only that were to be included, it would prove a sale of greatest importance, surpassing in price advantages any that have preceded it.

Housekeeping Linens

A MOST EXCEPTIONAL OFFERING OF FINE TABLE CLOTHS AND NAPKINS AT 33 1-3 PER CENT. LESS THAN FORMER PRICES OR ACTUAL VALUE.

The sample collection from one of the foremost Belfast manufacturers. Most beautiful qualities to be procured, perfect in every particular, but they are samples and it is the custom to sell them at the end of each year at a sacrifice. Under the present conditions in Europe and considering the higher prices now being demanded by the manufacturers this becomes a very important offering.

Included in the lot are many exceptionally fine matched sets as well as odd Cloths and Napkins.

Furs and Fur Garments

In view of the present market conditions-namely, a positive scarcity of the most fashionable furs and rapidly advancing prices it would appear decidedly unwise to reduce prices upon the kinds and character of furs carried here.

But it is our purpose to conduct a clearance in this department as in all others and although the furs to be offered cannot be replaced at our present prices we shall apply the same clearance sale methods here as elsewhere throughout the store.

Millinery

It is believed that ladies will find this department during the Clearance Sale one of the most attractive in the store.

The Hats shown are beautiful and at half prices or much less, in many instances, the sale in this department becomes especially important.

Hats that were \$15.00, are REDUCED to\$7.00 Hats that were \$10.00, are REDUCED to\$4.75 Hats that were \$ 9.00, are REDUCED to\$4.00 Hats that were \$ 8.00, are REDUCED to\$3.50 Hats that were \$ 3.50, are REDUCED to\$1.75 Hats that were \$ 3.00 to \$5.00, are REDUCED to \$1.00 CHILDREN'S HATS-15 of these only-selling regularly at \$1.00 to \$5.00, PRICED FOR CLEARANCE AT 50c to \$2.50. HAT TRIMMINGS, RIBBONS, ETC .- Will be sold at very low prices-in many instances not more than one-fourth the actual value will be asked—as examples: Bunches of Violets, reduced from 75 cents to37 cents

Bunches of Rose Leaf Foliage, reduced from 35 cents to 15 cents
Bunches of French Flowers, reduced from \$2.00 to 90 cents
Fancy Wings, reduced from \$1.00 to50 cents
Fancy Wings, reduced from 75 cents to
Bead Trimmings, reduced from \$1.00 to40 cents
Trimming Beads, reduced from \$2.00 to
Ostrich Plumes, reduced from \$6.00 to\$3.00
Veils, reduced from \$3.50 to
Veils, reduced from \$2.00 to
Veils, reduced from \$1.25 to
Hat Boxes, reduced from \$3.00 to
Untrimmed Hats, reduced from \$10.00 to\$4.00
Untrimmed Hats, reduced from \$6.00 to\$2.75
Untrimmed Hats, reduced from \$5.00 to \$2.00
Untrimmed Hats, reduced from \$2.00 to

Belmont raisins, package ...
Dates, two pounds
Figs. pound
Tangerines, dozen
Florida oranges, dozen
Cal navel oranges, dozen Brazilian nuts, pound
Mized nuts, two pounds.
Cal. soft shell wainuts, pound
RETAIL GRAINS. RETAIL GRAINS

Baled straw, cwt.

Bran. cwt.

Brown middlings, cwt.
Oats, bushel
Provender, No. 1, cwt.
Provender, No. 2, cwt.
Cracked corn. cwt.
Hay, baled cwt.
Hay, ton. loose
Cornmeal, cwt.
Wheat, cwt.
Bread flour, barrel
Pastry flour, barrel Oranges, dozen
Bananas, dozen
Red bananas, dozen Red bananas, dozen
Lemens, dozen
Grapefruit, each
Naples walnuts, pound
Hickory nuts, basket
Filberts, pound
Italian chestnuts, two pounds
Almonds, pound
Pecans, pound

LIVESTOCK MARKET.

BEEVES-Receipts 1,700, Firm. Steers 95.25@9; bulls \$1.50@7.10; cows \$376.50. CALVES Receipts 1,330. Steady, Veals \$8212,50; cults \$6,5027.50; barnyard calves \$5.50%6.50; yearlings \$1.50%5,50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts 2.725. Firm. Sheep \$476.25; lambs \$5,500.19.25. HOGS—Receipts \$,507. Firm, at \$6,5507; roughs \$5.75m6.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

New York, Dec. 29,

FLOUR-Quiet. BUCKWHEAT FLOUR-DUIL BUCKWHEAT-Quiet Japanese \$1.92; mixed and sliver hull \$1.90 WHEAT-Spot weak. No. 1 Durum \$1.37 f. o. b. New York: No. 1 northern Duluth \$1.29 and No. 1 northern Manitoba \$1.28% c. i. f. Buffalo. Futures

weak. Dec. \$1,29%. CORN-Spot steady. No. 2 yellow 850 prompt.

OATS-Spot quiet.

LARD-Quiet. POTATOES-Spot firm. Maine, bil. \$3; Long Island \$360.25; State \$2,7562.85; Michigan \$2,7592.85; southern \$1,5002.50; southern sweets, basket, 25975c. CABBAGES-Firm. Red, per ton,

RAW SUGAR-Easy, Centrifugal 445 @4.58c; molasses 2.6893.81c; refined dull.

SPOT COTTON AND PUTURES.

New York, Dec. 29 Spot cotton quiet. Middling uplands \$12.20; sales, 42 bales. Cotton futures not quoted.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET. Chicago, Dec. 29.

WHEAT-Dec. \$1.25%; May \$1.24%. CORN-Dec. 75%c; May 70%c. OATS-Dec. 43%c; May 47%c. Provisions not quoted. Cash quotations: PORK-\$16.10. RIBS-\$9.50@9.92

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE QUOTATIONS ON BUTTER

Boston, Dec. 29. To-day's Chamber of Commerce quotations, the price of commission merchants to dealers, follow:

BUTTER-Creamery extra, 32c; creamery firsts 27429c; creamery seconds 25c; dairy butter 23% 27c; ladies 215c; renovated butter 24@24%c; storage creamery, extra, 29% 30c; storage creamery firsts

BOSTON BUTTER MARKET. (Furnished by the Associated Press.)

Boston, Dec. 29. Northern measuret western 2014013214c CHEESE-New York twins, choice, 18@181c; good 17@171c.

BOSTON PRODUCE MARKET.

Boston, Dec. 29. FLOUR-Mill shipment, spring patents, \$6.45@7; spring clears in sacks \$5.25%5.90; special short patents \$7.3097.60; winter patents \$6,20@6.70; winter straights \$5,75.4 6.50; winter clears \$5.50006.25; Kansas patents in sacks \$5.65% 15.

CORNMEAL AND GATMEAL-Corn. meal, granulated, \$4.20; bolted \$4.15; bout meay \$1.5601.58; cracked corn \$1.5801.60; oatmeal, rolled, \$5.25; out and ground \$5.77; rye flour in sacks \$5.3095.80; graham flour \$5,1096.30. CORN-Spot. car lots, old, No. 3

yellow, Mc; new, No. 3 yellow, Mc; new, No. 4 yellow, 82%; for shipment, new, No. 3 yellow, 82%; for shipment, new, No. 4 yellow, 82%; for new, No. 4 yellow low, \$115/882c; new, yellow, \$015/981c. OATS-Spot, car lots, No. 1 clipped white, 55c; No. 2 clipped white 53c; No. 3 clipped white 52c, for shipment, fancy, 40 lbs. 52% 50% e; fancy, 54 ths.,

5154752c; regular, 28 Hrs., 501-951c. HAY AND STRAW-Hay, No. 1 grade, \$269,27; No. 2 grade \$230,24; No. 3 grade \$18613.50; stock hay \$16617; rye straw

MILL FEED-Mill shipment, spring bran, \$23.50%24; winter bran \$22.50%24; middlings \$23.75 5/26; mixed feed \$200/29; red dog \$31; contonseed ment \$55.565.40; linseed meal \$41.42; giuten food \$30.68; hominy feed \$30.90; stock feed \$70; out hulls \$21.50

PORK PRODUCTS-Heavy backs and short cuts \$21; medium \$25,25 971; forms cuts \$24; raw leaf land 15%; rendered leaf 13c; pure land 10%; country dressed hogs Stage

FRESH MEATS-Beef, extra sides, 12013c; heavy hinds 14015ter; heavy fores 100100ge; medium steers butgette: cows 9090ger spring lambs 100130ger and winter Halle; yearlings 95/0e; mutton 9210c; yeals 119160 POULTRY-Northern fowl. large,

18@19c; medium 16@17c; western fow'. large, 17018c; medium 15016c, native brollers 24@26c; western brollers 21@20c; native reasting chickens Notice mixed 16018c; western rousters, large, 18020c; mixed 16@18c; turkeys, fancy northern, 25@28c; fair to good 100 25c; ern 220724c; fair to good 180720cc 18g20c; geese 17h 15c; native squab \$250 14 LIVE POULTRY-Fowl and chickens 15@16c; roosters 11@12c; ducks 15@17c.

EGGS-Choice hennery 6697c; eastern extras 42743c; western extras 29540c; Western prime firsts 36436c; western firsts Madie; storage extras 2415925c; storage firsts 25024-BEANS-Car lots, choice pea bears, \$4074.10; red kidney \$5,25975.40; vellow .ve \$3.50@3.70; California small white \$1.10.3 4.15; Scotch green pens \$343.16; Camara peas \$2,9063; lima beans 51g5c54, pour 1

jobbing prices toutie bushel above car APPLES-Paldwins, ordinary, 1242.71 bbl.; fancy \$393.50; No. 2 \$1.5001.75; Greenings \$252.75. Northern Say \$2073 bushel boxes 75egr\$1.75; western but apples \$1.5000 25.

POTATOES-Maine \$1.0592.10 bag; sweets \$1671.15 basket. TRUCK (Jobbing) - Beets 75/190c bu; beet greens 75cq;\$1 bu., brussel sprouts 10015c qt.: cabbage though bbi, carrot4 500785c bu.; celery \$1.2592.25 do. . . aul. . flower \$1,2591.50 bu bx.; encumbers \$697 bx., medium \$2,226, No \$161.50; dandelions \$26/2.50 bu. by : egs plant \$3.50@4 ort.; lettuce \$100.25 bu bx.; onlons, Connecticut valley, \$202.50 per 100-1b. bg.; parsnips feligible bu.; peppers \$1.75@2 crt.; radishes 25@30c doz.; spinach \$2.50@2.75 bbl.; squash, marrow, \$202.25 bbl., Hubbard 2@21gc th.; string beans, green and wax, \$3,24.50 bskt.; hothouse, 30035c tb., Florida \$15095 ort : turnips, rutabagas, \$1.3591.60 bbl., white egg 75cmil bu., purple tops begist bu

tangerines \$263.50 strap; cassaba melons \$3@3.50 bx.; cranberries \$202.75 ct. REFINED SUGARS-The American quotes granulated fine as a basis at 5.95c for 100-barrel lots and 6.10c for 20-barrel lots. Wholesale grocers quote

FRUIT-Oranges, Florida, \$1.7502.71

bx.; California \$294; grapefruit \$1.5023;

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6.25c for less than 20 barrels.